

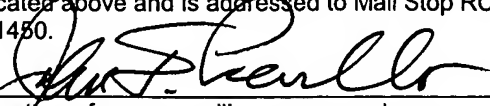
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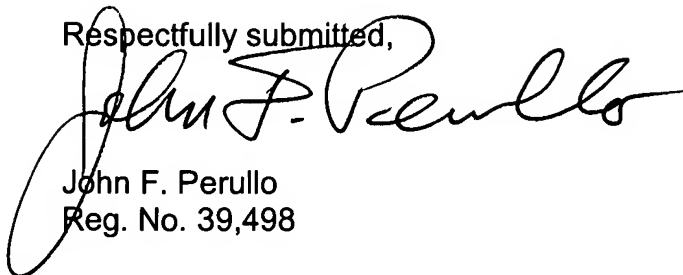
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for responding to the office action dated June 15, 2006, be extended for 3 months, to and including December 15, 2006.

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